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TITLE: Press fit circuit board connector

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ABSTRACT:

CHG DATE=19990617 STATUS=O> A right angle press fit **connector** employs a modular

construction having a common terminal carrying **press block** that is associable

with different types of shroud structures. The **press block** may include true

positioned location structures for press fit tails. The true position

structures may be integral with the **press block**. A cruciform shaped terminal

insertion passage in the **press block** minimizes damage to the plating of the

terminals and provides structural stiffness. <IMAGE>

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TITLE: Press block for device carrying out through hole mounting

of press fit

type connectors onto printed circuit boards

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BASIC-ABSTRACT: NOVELTY - The press block (35) includes an

application surface

(39) with multiple apertures (38), for engaging the contact

terminals and

applying an insertion force. This comprises multiple adjacently spaced

insertion members (36) mutually connected by reinforcement struts

struts act to balance the reaction forces exerted by the contact terminals on

the application surface during insertion.

USE - For use with a **connector** application device carrying out through-hole

mounting of press-fit type connectors to printed circuit boards.

ADVANTAGE - The **press block** is less liable to deflection and rupture than prior

blocks, thereby reducing the overall tooling costs of the application device.

The surface of the $\underline{\mathtt{press\ block}}$ is improved over prior designs so as to further

reduce the risk of damage to the contact terminals.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The drawing is a schematic of a preferred

embodiment of the **press block** showing the application surface.

Press block 35

Insertion members 36

Reinforcement struts 37

Apertures 38

Application surface 39

CHOSEN-DRAWING: Dwg.7/11

TITLE-TERMS:

PRESS BLOCK DEVICE CARRY THROUGH HOLE MOUNT PRESS FIT TYPE

CONNECT PRINT CIRCUIT BOARD

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TITLE: WIRING BASE BOARD PRESS-IN ELECTRIC CONNECTOR

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INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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INT-CL (IPC): H01R023/68; H01R009/24

ABSTRACT:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To secure true positional arrangement of a press-in

terminal tail part, and enhance facility and reliability of a device by

arranging a carrier in an insulating or conductive shroud part, and forming a

header having no sheild or having a seal.

SOLUTION: In a pin header, two members of a **press block** 24 and a shroud 26 are

integrally joined together. The **press block** 24 has a body formed of an

insulating material such as a moldable thermoplastic resin. The press block or

the carrier 24 has plural cylindrical bosses extending by going over a

positioning flange. An outside diameter of the bosses and an inside diameter

of an opening of the shroud 26 are formed in a dimension by which the bosses

and the opening are put in an almost tight fit condition when the press block

24 and the shroud 26 are integrally pressed. The **press block** 24 has an almost

flat top wall to receive a press tool to press a completed **connector** in a

printed circuit board. The **press block** 24 also has a bottom wall 54, and a

fixing projecting piece part 56 is suspended from the bottom wall 54.

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